

sum of one thousand four hundred and forty dollars (\$1440.00) to replenish the fund hitherto allowed for the incidental expenses of the chief justice of the supreme court, for the biennial period ending March 31, 1900.

SEC. 2. **In effect.** This act, being deemed by the general assembly of immediate importance, shall be in force and effect after publication in the Iowa State Register and Des Moines Leader, newspapers published at Des Moines, Iowa.

Approved January 24, 1900.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Iowa State Register and the Des Moines Leader January 26, 1900.

G. L. DOBSON,  
Secretary of State.

## CHAPTER 162.

### PURCHASE OF RAILROAD COMMISSIONERS' OFFICIAL MAPS.

S. F. 72.

AN ACT making an appropriation for the purchase of 30,000 railroad commissioners' official maps, to be distributed by the members of the general assembly and railroad commissioners.

*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:*

SECTION 1. **Number ordered—distribution.** That the railroad commissioners are hereby directed to procure, at the earliest possible date, 30,000 copies of the railroad commissioners' official map of Iowa, 5,000 of said maps to be printed on heavy paper, and mounted with sticks, top and bottom, with tape sides, and 25,000 of said maps to be folded and placed in envelopes suitable for mailing; said maps to be distributed as follows: One hundred copies in envelopes and ten mounted maps to be given to each member of the general assembly for distribution; and the remainder to be distributed under the direction of the railroad commissioners.

SEC. 2. **Amount appropriated.** And there is hereby appropriated two thousand five hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary for that purpose, out of any moneys not otherwise appropriated.

SEC. 3. **In effect.** This act, being deemed by the general assembly of immediate importance, shall be in force and take effect after its publication in the Iowa State Register and the Des Moines Leader, newspapers published in Des Moines, Iowa.

Approved March 2, 1900.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Iowa State Register and the Des Moines Leader March 3, 1900.

G. L. DOBSON,  
Secretary of State.

## CHAPTER 163.

### BOARD OF CONTROL ROOMS.

S. F. 45.

AN ACT making appropriation for repairs on the rooms in the capitol building now occupied by the board of control, and for furnishing the same.

*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:*

SECTION 1. **Amount appropriated—purpose.** That there is hereby appropriated out of any moneys in the state treasury, not otherwise appropriated, the sum of twenty-one hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, for the purpose of cleaning, varnishing, painting, glazing, and furnishing the necessary carpets, rugs, tables, desks, chairs, doors for book cases, railing, a refrigerator, and such other furniture as may be necessary for the rooms in the capitol building now occupied by the board of control.

**SEC. 2. How drawn and expended.** The money hereby appropriated shall be drawn and expended upon the order of the executive council.

**SEC. 3. In effect.** This act, being deemed of immediate importance, shall take effect and be in full force on and after its publication in the Iowa State Register and Des Moines Leader, newspapers published in Des Moines, Iowa.

Approved April 6, 1900.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Iowa State Register and the Des Moines Leader April 7, 1900.

G. L. DOBSON,  
Secretary of State.

#### CHAPTER 164.

##### TO PAY EXPRESS AND FREIGHT.

S. F. 155.

AN ACT appropriating money to pay express and freight.

*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:*

**SECTION 1. Appropriation for bills due and unpaid.** That there is hereby appropriated out of any funds not otherwise appropriated from the state treasury the sum of eleven hundred (1,100.00) dollars to pay express and freight now due and unpaid.

**SEC. 2. Appropriation to pay express and freight during session of Twenty-eighth General Assembly.** That there is hereby appropriated out of any funds not otherwise appropriated from the state treasury the sum of five hundred (500) dollars or as much as is necessary to pay express and freight during the present session of the Twenty-eighth General Assembly.

**SEC. 3. In effect.** This act, being deemed of immediate importance, shall take effect and be in force on and after its publication in the Iowa State Register and the Des Moines Leader, newspapers published in Des Moines, Iowa.

Approved March 2, 1900.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Iowa State Register and the Des Moines Leader March 3, 1900.

G. L. DOBSON,  
Secretary of State.

#### CHAPTER 165.

##### RELIEF OF CERTAIN PATIENTS AT MT. PLEASANT HOSPITAL.

S. F. 294.

AN ACT making an appropriation for reimbursing certain patients in the hospital for the insane at Mt. Pleasant, Iowa.

WHEREAS, the late Dr. H. A. Gilman in his official capacity as superintendent of the hospital for the insane at Mt. Pleasant, Iowa, and at a time when by law he was not required to and did not give a bond, did receive from and on account of patients in said hospital various sums of money, in the aggregate amounting to nearly fifty-five hundred (\$5500.00) dollars, and has failed to account for any part of said sum; and,

WHEREAS, claims for the same have been filed and allowed against his estate; and,

WHEREAS, the total property of said estate amounts to less than four hundred (\$400.00) dollars and all claims filed against said estate amount to over nineteen thousand (\$19,000.00) dollars, and these patients will be substantially deprived of all of said money so received unless an appropriation is made to reimburse them, therefore,